

ARMY SONGS

CLEANSE ME, LORD.

Tune—Lord Jesus I Long, 184.
Lord Jesus, my heart has been hard
and unfeeling since
Its struggle against Thee Thou
of last seen,
But Thy blood can cleanse me en-
tirely, I know,
Lord, wash me and I shall be whiter
than snow.

Lord Jesus, if still I do not fully
bow,
If anything wrong in myself I allow,
Oh, search out, and to me my evil
ways show.
Lord, wash me and I shall be whiter
than snow.

Lord Jesus, I'm trusting entirely in
Thee,
From the fear and doubt I am
fully set free,
Thy blood cleanses perfectly,
Saviour, I know,
For me Thou hast washed and made
whiter than snow.

FILL MY SOUL.

Tunes—Give Me a Heart, 32 G. B.
While here before Thy cross I kneel
To me Thy love impart;
With a deep, burning love for souls,
Lord fill my craving heart.

CHORUS

Give me a Heart Like Thine,
Deepen in me Thy work of Grace,
Teach me to do Thy will;
Help me to live a spotless life,
My holy laws fulfil.

I want in this dark world to shine,
And ever faithful be,
That all around shall know I'm
Thine,
In blessed reality.

VICTORY.

We are sweeping through the land,
With the sword of God in hand;
We are watching and we're pray-
ing while we fight;
On the Wings of Love we fly,
To the souls about to die,
And we'll force them to behold
the precious light.

CHORUS

With the conquering Son of God,
Who hath washed us in His blood.

We are sweeping on to win,
Perfect victory over sin,
And we'll shout the Saviour's
praises eversmore;
When the suns on earth is done,
And some million souls we've won,
We'll rejoice our conquering Com-
rades gone before,

COME TO CHRIST!

Tunes—Saints of God, 130; Song-
Book, No. 25.

I have found a great Salvation,
Glory to God!
From my sins I've liberation,
Glory to God!
I was sunk in misery,
Bound by Satan's cruel fetters,
But the Saviour set me free.
Glory to God!

My heart is full of singing,
I went each day from sinning,
This joy I can't express,
It never knows an ending;
We a life of happiness!

Courser, you can have this blessing,
If you're a Christ, your sins confess—
Then your life will be happy be,
And in Heaven you'll get a mansion
There to live eternally.

Canadian Anniversary
CONGRESSES

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

Sept. 29 - Oct 3.
Halifax
Oct. 13 - Oct 20
Toronto

WILL YOU GO?

Tunes—"Eden Above," "The
Ashgrove."
We're bound for the land
Of the pure and the holy,
The home of the happy.
The Kingdom of Love:
Ye wanderers from God
In the broad road of folly,
Oh, say, will you go
To the Eden above?

Chorus.

Will you go?
Oh, say, will you go to the Eden
above?
March on, happy Soldiers,
The land is before you,
And soon its ten thousand
Delights we shall prove.
Yes, soon we'll be massed
On the hills of bright glory;
And drink the pure joys
Of the Eden above!

WELCOME, LORD!

Tunes—Take Salvation, 170; Silver
Threads, 157.
Welcome, welcome, dear Redeemer!
Welcome to this heart of mine,
Lord, I make a full surrender!
Every power and thought be
Thine.

Thee eternally;
Through eternal ages Thine.
Known to all to be Thy mansion,
Earth and hell will disappear;
Or in vain attempt possession;
When they find the Lord is there,
Shout Salvation!
Shout, ye saints! The Lord is here.

LIEUT. KEETON DROWNED

We deeply regret to say that
Lieut. Frank Ernest Keeton, of
London II, was drowned in the
Thames on Thursday, Aug. 1st. It
is said that he was learning to swim
in order that he might become an
instructor to the Boy Scouts of
London II, in whom he took great
interest. He became exhausted in
some weeds and was unable to free
himself.

The Lieutenant was much beloved in the locality and great
crowds assembled at the funeral
service conducted by Brigadier Bet-
terton. The body was interred at Waller.
Next week we shall publish a tig-
raphical sketch and portrait of our
late Comrade.

MARRIED PEOPLE GOING TO
ENGLAND.

Captain George Hodson, of Nel-
son, B.C., would like to put a child
(age 9) under the escort of any
married Salvationists who are going
to England. Her father who is
an invalid, wants to go now
at Shortlands, would like to have
her taken to the home of his rela-
tions in Surrey. Would any willing
parties communicate by letter to
Captain Hodson, Box 244, Nelson,
B.C.

COMING EVENTS

COMM'R. RICHARDS

Twillingate—Aug. 28-29.
Herring Neck—Aug. 30.
Burwood—Aug. 31.
Coburg—Sept. 1.
Campbellton—September 2.
New Glasgow—September 4-5.
Temple—September 18.

COLONEL & MRS. GASKIN

Windsor, Sept. 4.

BRIG. MORRIS—Military Camp
(Niagara-on-the-Lake), Aug. 25.

MAJOR McGILLIVRAY—St. John
IL, Aug. 30; Yarmouth, Aug. 31.
Moncton, Sept. 1; Amherst, Sept.
2; Summerside, Sept. 3; Charl-
ottetown, Sept. 4-5; Prince
Sept. 6; Westville, Sept. 7.
Truro, Sept. 8; Springfield, Sept.
9; Parrsboro, Sept. 10; New Can-
ada, Sept. 11-12; Sydney, Sept.
13-14; Whitney Pier, Sept.
15; Sydney, Sept. 16; New Al-
dean, Sept. 17; Glace Bay, Sept.
18-19.

MRS. MAJOR PRAZER—Thor-
hill, Aug. 29.

Staff-Captain White—London II

Aug. 28-29.

NEW HUGE SEARCHLIGHT

A 3,000,000 candle-power search-
light, the invention of Thomas E.
Edison, was recently tested for the
first time at New York. Fed by
age batteries, it is said to be the
most powerful portable searchlight
in the world. It is especially de-
signed for use in mine rescue work
at fires, on ships and aeroplanes.

EXCHANGE

Captain Riches, of North B.
Corps, would like to exchange
Harmonium (Concert Pitch)
for first-class condition for a Steira
Lauretta, or similar instrument.
Chapelle, Mrs. ANN, nee ANN
WONG, Nuns' Hospital, 1888, 1890,
1891, single, Age 36, height 5 ft.
3 in., weight 120 lbs. Dark complexion,
brown hair, blue eyes. Single, 1891,
middle class, mother deceased.
Missing three years. Last ad-
dress: 51 McDermott Ave., North B.
Corps. We have news of Mr. Chope-
pella.

FOR SALE

1 Jeffries Concertina, good con-
dition (39 keys), \$25; 1 Salter
Army Concertina, almost new,
keys), \$22.50; 1 Ideal Autoharp
(two rows), with case, \$6; 1 Old
Typewriter, new, \$7.50.
Pay carriage. Apply to
Captain Hodson,
Box 244, Nelson, B.C.

THE UNKNOWN DAY

"I know not the day of
death"—Gen. XXVII, 2.

Some years ago a very
man was taken hold of by the
hand of God during a night
campaign. He confessed he was
where, seeing that the man was
not converted, the Soldiers
for him. He confessed his sin
to serve God, and turned
to the Holiness Meeting, and
Preach-and-Easy in the afternoon,
giving evidence of a real change
of heart. In the evening, however,
the man was taken ill. The Guards
carried him to a side room
and everything was done
for him, but in a few minutes he
was dead.

Unknown to him, the general
he had seized had been ill

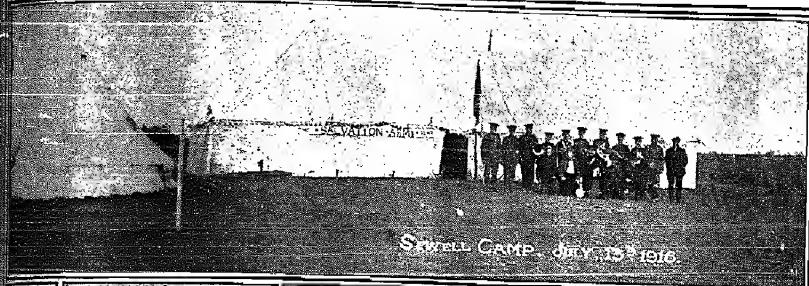
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SCOTSMAN CAMP, JULY 18, 1916



Photographs on this page show the Officers who are serving as
members of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces, with the honorary rank
of Major. The third is the portrait of Adjutant Robe.
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DURING the first few weeks of one year no fewer than fifty men and women were clared at the Offices of the Anti-Slavery Bureau in the City of London that they had resolved to end their lives, for the simple reason that they had no friends.

They had no one to associate with, and they felt death to be preferable to the wretchedness and horror of their loneliness.

Is not something of this spirit, and the unhappiness which springs from it, to be found in society everywhere?

No Real Comradeship

People walk about, eat and drink, talk and go through the ordinary duties of social life together, and yet have no real communion of soul. Heart does not speak to heart. They are alone.

I am afraid that there is a good deal of this experience in some of our Corps. We meet, sing, and pray together, but heart-union is too often sadly wanting.

Yet a Corps ought to be a real spiritual family. Every Soldier in its ranks ought to regard his Comrades as brothers and sisters. Instead of this I am afraid that there is with some Soldiers a great deal of the cold stand-off spirit, and especially in the big cities.

Entire Much Suffering

This is a great pity, and we can never tell how much we lose by it, or how much suffering it entails upon many good and faithful souls who are shy and strange.

I can never forget, for example, what a disheartening and dispiriting effect this kind of thing had upon me when I first came to London.

COMRADESHIP

By The Late General

"A Corps ought to be a real spiritual family. Every Soldier in its ranks ought to regard his Comrades as brothers and sisters."

don as a young man and almost an entire stranger.

1.—Let me mention two or three reasons why Comradeship should cherish a friendly spirit.

The first reason is the personal pleasure such friendliness imparts. The joy flowing out of genuine friendship cannot very well be overestimated.

To know that there are Comrades who really love you, whose eyes sparkle, and whose hearts beat warmly, and whose hands are reached out eagerly when you meet them creates pleasure not only while you are together, but when you think about it all the day through.

A Precious Treasure

Then, how powerful is this friendly spirit in its influence for good on the ungodly world around us!

Nothing strikes the stranger who finds himself within our walls more forcibly, or affects him more, than the loving friend-like faces that he meets with on every hand.

He is constrained to say, "See how the Salvationists love one another!"

Oh, that this spirit were more prevalent and powerful than it is!

Let us cultivate it, my Comrades. We used to sing, "Love shall be the conqueror." It is gloriously true. Here's a method of spreading Salvation.

This spirit will secure help, and make friends for our work.

A perfect stranger died some years ago, leaving quite a large sum of money to The Army, and his lawyer told us that he was really lost to us, so because on hearing an Affry Hall in a town where there was a complete stranger, some Salvationist shook him by the hand and enquired of his spiritual welfare. He always dressed as a working man, though he was very well off.

Speak Up and Speak Out

If—But how are we to get more of this spirit?

Be at every trouble to acquaint ourselves with each other. Keep

In these trying hours how welcome is the sympathy, and how precious the help with which the hand of friendship soothes the wounded spirit, lifts the despairing heart, and smooths the dying pillow.

THE WEEK'S BEST STORY SELECTED FROM THE ARMY'S PRESS

"BUT FOR THE ARMY'S KINDNESS"

A TRAGEDY NARROWLY AVOIDED BY CONSIDERATE OFFICER

NEARLY two years ago a well-dressed young woman sat in one of our Armies in Australia. The Officer noticing she was alone, and apparently a stranger, spoke to her, and found that away in distant parts she had been a follower of Jesus, but had "drifted away."

"I'm not remaining here," she said. "My plans are not quite settled. A friend is to meet me next week when we shall get away."

She attended all the meetings through the week, and the Officer became interested in her. On the expected day, however, her friend did not arrive, and a peculiar sorrow and sadness seemed written on her face. At the close of one of the meetings she remained for a word with the Officer.

"If you really knew the truth you wouldn't speak to me," she said.

For two or three weeks she seemed to shrink from everybody. At last, handing a closely-written letter to the Officer, she said, "I must confide in you or I'll lose my reason." It was a sad story.

"If you're really known the truth you wouldn't speak to me," she said.

Then a serious illness befell her,

and her heart became softened towards the Officers who helped her.

She was almost at death's door when her baby was born; but she was restored to new life and health, and the card parties the wine was passed around. From one step to another she went on, till she reached the awful position she was placed in. The

young man concerned treated the matter very lightly.

"Go away to another State. I'll fix up my business and meet you. We'll be married privately, and I couldn't marry you here for the sake of my people," he had said.

Believing him, she did so, but the promise was broken.

A letter was sent instead. Enraged at the perfidy of her lover, she tore the cheque in pieces and returned it.

Broken-hearted.

Another letter followed: "Why are you so foolish? You must have money. I will send you all you need, when all is over will get the child adopted, then we'll think of marriage."

"But not one penny of his money would she handle. She was broken-hearted and despairing when arrangements were made for her to enter our Maternity Home; and the name of her lover she would not disclose. Waiting, she had time to think, and apparently she hardened her heart against those who really were her friends."

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"I'll nurse it for twelve months, although I don't know how to act about the future yet," she said as she left and went into the world once more. The baby's father tried to make arrangements for its adoption with some of his friends, who were well-to-do people, but the mother refused, saying, "No; if I give my baby up, it shall go only to a Christian, and then only that he may never know of its mother's shame."

At last the girl sought refuge from the woman. Officer, who had first heard of her with the result that the child was adopted into a home where God had denied the precious gift, but where husband and wife both served Him. The parting was terrible to the poor mother.

"I could bury her easier than I could give her away," she said, "but I never want her to know of her mother's shame before her child."

One Sunday night she visited The Army Hall, and knelt at the Mercy Seat, and now away in a distant place, separated from home, friends, and all she once held dear, she is a Salvation Soldier, and still asserts, "The Army helped me when I had n't a friend. But for the kindness of The Army Officers, I would have taken my life in the dark days."

"Social Gazette."

THE BROKEN STRING

A Story of Paganini and His Wonderful Fiddle

Did you ever hear of Paganini? One day the people in a town of Italy woke up and found all the cardrooms announcing that "Paganini was coming." The fiddle began the most wonderful player upon the violin that this world had ever heard.

What is the reason that arises very largely from the fact that people will think about you? Never mind what your Comrades may say about you or your looks or your words; speak up and speak out. Make yourselves known, and show yourselves friendly.

Especialy do this with the new Converts, who are only too apt to be carried one night, and passed by the night after.

It is better to be in the meeting, better to tell them from their houses. Why should you not do this to the Officers? Let your share in it.

Practice forbearance with your Comrades. Many Soldiers at the outset do not respond to our approach as, perhaps, we think they ought to. Hold out with them.

Grace works differently through different dispositions. In consequence of this precious article will fill me overflowing with joy and gladness while others will be hardly moved by it.

Trust your Comrades. Don't be suspicious. Don't expect perfidy at once. Give them time. If you find them lacking, seek by your own example and by your prayers to supply their need.

Look out for a chance of befriending them. If a man would have friends, he must show himself friendly. Bless your Comrades, and they will bless you.

Back to thyself is measured well.

All thou hast given well.

Thy neighbour's wrong is thy present hell.

His bliss thy Heaven.

—WILLIAM BOOTH

NOTE—If you think your Soldier friend will not get a copy of this "Cry," be sure and send him one]

BRIDES—

Soldom Salvationists are flocking to the standard of leading with gallant hearts to the cry of their country in agony. If you have donned the khaki through feelings of go to the war with the consciousness that you are for God uses human agency to be the minister of His

as His mercy. Follow out your honest convictions in the

but however, to remind you that you have a double service

and repeat to you the words of the Master: "Render unto Caesar that which is Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's."

There is also another point that Salvationists in khaki, and those who contemplate enlisting would do well to regard. It is this: The King's Regulations for the army guarantee—

1. The right of any soldier to enlist in the army as a Salvationist.

2. The right of every soldier wrongfully arrested to have the matter of his religious situation corrected.

3. The right of every soldier to attend Divine service at his own place of worship.

These rights are secured by the following extracts from King's Regulations for the Army:—

(a) Par. 919: A soldier will be classified under one of the following denominations—Church of England, Presbyterian, Wesleyan, Baptist, or to be noted, Nonconformist Protestant denomination (name of denomination to be noted). Nonconformist Jew.

(b) Par. 132: Every soldier when not prevented by military duty, will attend Divine service; but a soldier will not be obliged to attend the service of any other religion body than his own.

There is another class for which The Salvation Army has a tender concern: it is those who once ran well, but have slipped. In Salvationist pietyology, have become backsliders. We want all such to understand that they can join the Overseas Forces as adherents of The Salvation Army, and thus can have the right to attend Divine service at The Salvation Army Hall with their own people.

But it may be that some Salvationists will have to do what they have so often in song vowed to do: stand alone! If so, never mind. God is a very present help in time of trouble, and the greatest help to one is to come right out with the information that one is a Salvationist. It will be of wonderful assistance to one.

Some Bandsmen have promised us to get group photographs taken of all the Salvationists in their company or battalion for publication in the "Cry." We wish all would do so. Don't forget, you are fondly remembered in the old Corps, and your Salvationist comrades will be delighted to see how you are looking.

We also want Salvationists in khaki to write to us concerning their work for God and their country. Your acquaintances and all Salvationists will be delighted to know how you are getting on.

Don't fail to make yourselves known to The Salvation Army Chaplain, or to the Officer who is representing The Army, for the military authorities have granted permission to The Salvation Army to have a representative in every camp. He will be a great help to you. We have been informed that Captain Ashley has been appointed to the London Training Camp. He will go there with excellent credentials.

We have thus written to you, dear comrade in khaki, and if you get the

Victoria Cross, the Distinguished Conduct Order, or are promoted and given a commission, write to us, and if nothing very particular happens write and tell us how you are getting along in your work. We want you to distinguish yourself spiritually.

RS about INTERESTING

BANDMASTER COLLINS
and his Bandmen of
Hamilton III have enlisted
under the British colours.

Three are now in England—
Band Sergeant R. Cook, Bandsman
W. Davis, solo cornet; Bandsman
V. Brown, second cornet. The other
Bandsmen are still with us, but ex-
pect to be called away at any time.
When the Bandsman are gone for
the front we expect that Deputy
Bandmaster Rushmore will take
charge of the Band. We are sorry
to lose these comrades as it will
mean a great loss to the Band, also
to the Corps.

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On the recent visit to Dunnville,
of the Hamilton III. Band, the
following little incident was brought
to our notice. Two of the Bandsmen
set out to get some work in their work
in the afternoon, made a bold attempt to ride to Dunnville on
their wheels. Starting early Sunday
morning they rode about twelve
miles, when one of the tires punc-
tured. It was hastily repaired. The
consequences were that after riding
for a short time the puncture broke
out again in an unavoidable manner.
They were about half-way—the
distance from Hamilton to Dunn-
ville being about forty miles. So
they thought it would be as well to
stop on Dunnville by walking the
remaining distance. However, an
auto came along, the driver being
out for a pleasure ride, understood
the job of taking them the rest of
the journey. But before this end, he
had the misfortune to have one of
his tires punctured. So the Bands-
men gave him their help in trying to
get all O. K. again. Then bid the
kind autoist adieu, and walked the
rest of the way, arriving at the
Grand Theatre in time to see the
Holiness meeting close, and in the
afternoon were playing in the Band
as usual—W. Barlin, side drummer.

The St. James Band is still forg-
ing ahead under the very able lead-
ership of Bandmaster Dwyer, late
Bandmaster of No. 1. Canadian Band.
Since taking charge he has launched
the Band League Fund, which con-
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Bandmaster. Everyone was blessed

Subjects for Thanksgiving
1. For the prospects of a bountiful
harvest.
2. For the general spirit of loyalty
shown throughout the British
Empire.

3. For the noble response made,
not only by the brave men in taking
up arms, but the many who have
gone forth with the Sword of the
Spirit.

4. For the awakening among the
tribes to the claims of God.

5. For the great realization that
has come to the world of the real
sense of life and the re-action from
selfishness and commercialism.

6. For the salvation of souls.

BAND NOTES

by his straight, but profitable, talk,
also the talk by Bandsman J.
Walker. The night meeting was held
on the Band Sergeant's Scripture
reading and lesson book tables.
We recently visited the Cancer
Hospital and cheered the
patients with music, which was
greatly appreciated by all, including
one of the Soldiers of Portage la
Prairie, Sister Rushmore, who was
a patient there.—H. H.

The Hamilton III. Singers, ac-
companied by Mrs. Brigadier Ady,
spent the week-end of Aug. 7th-8th

Will all Bandsmen who are serving King and Country write to us and send photographs either of individuals or Groups—for groups taken especially for the "Cry" we will pay. Let your Comrades know how you are getting on. We love you and are praying for you. We shall also be glad to receive for publication extracts of letters to parents and wives, from sons and husbands either at the Front or in Canadian Training Camps

at Simeon. On the Saturday night a series of living pictures was given by the Brigade. On Monday a programme was given in the Simeon Park.

Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 14th-15th, were days that will be remembered by all the comrades and friends of No. 1. Canadian Band. Since taking charge he has launched the Band League Fund, which considerably aids to the purchase of new books, etc. The general improvement in the playing of the Band is very decided. Sunday, Aug. 15th, being Band Sunday, every Bandsman was up and doing. The Holiness meeting being led on by the Bandmaster. Everyone was blessed

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Laying the Foundation Stone at St. Catharines

RUSSIA DETERMINED

COLONEL THEODORE KITCHING WRITES FROM PETROGRAD OF HIS IMPRESSIONS OF RUSSIA, WAR-WORN, BUT NOT DESPAIRING

COLONL THEODORE KITCHING, of The Army's International Headquarters, has written his impressions of Russia war-worn, wounded in mourning, orphaned, or widowed, with the enemy at her front gate, and yet determined, hopeful, secure in her faith of victory.

"Within the last eight months," writes Colonel Kitching, "I have visited many European countries which have been affected by war, and each case I have visited has been capital as well as the smaller cities; and have seen something of the underworld of poverty and sorrow and death which pervades the homes of the lower classes, as well as the grief and tears and sacrifices that reigns in the homes of refinement and luxury. Of all the cities I visited, in Europe, the fact of war more evident and that at every turn, than it is in Petrograd. It is impossible to get away from the memory of war. Everywhere there are wounded soldiers and nurses.

Hope Reigns; Not Despair

"And yet hope reigns, not despair. There are countless sad faces, but the sadness is rather the expression of sober determination than of grief or anger. It is something that is typically Russian. It is something you have never seen before, but you know not where. And then you remember you have seen it years ago in some war picture of Verestchagin, and as you look again the very look makes you clenoch your teeth and set your chin and throw your shoulders back and say to yourself: 'Yes, we must go on;

"*Especially* this true of Russia's loyalty to England. The fact that I was an Englishman claimed and won for me wherever I went the respect, courtesy, and consideration of every individual with whom I came in contact. Official, clerical, and private alike, they counted me their brother in the great and mighty cause."

A splendid opportunity among the Italians last Saturday, Aug. 15th, and in the afternoon, the Captain and I who stood alone at the door for some four minutes, and were composed of five young boys about three Italian children were interested in the Corps. Our Corps is growing rapidly throughout the night, with the happy result that he was without a doubt saved from pneumonia. The soldier was extremely grateful, and on leaving for the front called to thank the Salvationist.

Getting on with the New Citadel at St. Catharines

At the mention of our Army Chaplain Brigadier McKeurie, I saw a most pathetic sight. A man, severely wounded, made a great effort to sit up, but only succeeded in twisting round on to his uninjured side. In a voice which trembled with pain, he cried, "Now help me a pain, for dear God's sake, and cheer me up, I am all alone." God Vannamuro to be absent from the country. Brother Kanamori has been chosen to represent Japan at the Exhibition. He will go as a fully-uniformed Salvationist, and those men in the trenches, risking his life and working all the time to help them."

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From Adm.

A USEFUL

My Dear Son,

The anniversary

of the war, and

the fact that

the war

will be

much longer than

at the beginning

of the war.

The anniversary

is a special day

of joyous

churches,

and a great

day in the

Army.

Bowar Law and Major

Hughes addressed the

The huge Armada,

with a most

enthusiastic

composited mainly

of officers.

We have been

times at our own

service,

had the joy of seeing my

wounded. We had

hundred and twenty-four

months.

I am receiving a great

number of

from friends,

and can

see no

advice

or

any

General Order**Harvest Festival Effort, 1915**

The Annual Harvest Festival dates are fixed for Sept. 11-14, inclusive.

After August 27, no demonstration of a financial character (except on behalf of the Harvest Festival Fund) must take place in any Corps until the Effort is closed without permission.

Officers of all ranks are responsible for seeing that this Order is observed.

WM. J. RICHARDS,
Commissioner.

WAR CRY

President: The Salvation Army in Canada, Newfoundland, British Isles, and Alaska; for The Salvation Army Printing House, 13 Albert St., Toronto.

THE HARVEST

A great army has left Ontario for the Western wheat fields which it is expected a bumper crop will be harvested. This is good hearing, for empires may fall and armies may perish, but there must be bread for the eater. And by the good Providence of God, it seems that the world's wheat crop for 1915, notwithstanding the fact that so many millions of men are taken from tilling the soil to blasting it with bursting shells and strewing it with iron shards, will be a record one. A masterpiece for which we are truly thankful.

In the course of a week or two the annual Harvest Festival will be taking place at the various Salvation Army Corps throughout the Dominion, and, broadly speaking, both dwellers in cities and the country have much cause to be grateful to God for His mercies, in spite of the anguish of the world caused by the terrible war now being waged. All our readers should not only give liberally of their store as a thank-offering, but should labour to create a spirit of thankfulness in the hearts of those with whom they come into contact, and of whom they collect for the Corps' target.

There is strong reason why The Salvation Army Effort should result in a bumper total, for the demands upon Headquarters are likely to be heavy, and the local needs of the various Corps will receive great assistance from the Harvest Festival Results. So we want all Officers and the Officers of Ontario and Quebec Provinces. These Councils will in many respects be a unique series of meetings.

The first gathering will be a welcome banquet in the lower Mess Hall when all generalities will be removed and relaxation fully indulged in. This will be the first Council since the dear General was here. What tragic events have happened since then; but Hallelujah! we have also had plenty of happenings to rejoice over.

Major Forneret, the Chief Captain of the Concentration Camp at Niagara, has forwarded information to Brigadier Morris, to the effect that he will arrange for a gathering to be held in the YMCA, tent, of soldiers, which will be addressed by the Brigadier and The Salvation Army Chaplain, Captain Kinnaird, on Sunday, Aug. 29th.

Adjutant Penfold, who last received from Folkestone on dated Aug. 7th, states: "You will be pleased to know that everything is going on well here. There has been a good number of conversions. Over one hundred of the Soldiers have been to the Pentecostal Room during the last three months."

**COMMISSIONER RICHARDS
In Newfoundland****VISIT TO GRAND BANK AND BONAVISTA DISTRICTS
MAGNIFICENT SUCCESSES—CROWDED HALLS
ENTHUSIASTIC GATHERINGS—SOULS SAVED**

(By Cable)

THE COMMISSIONER'S visit to the Grand Bank district was a magnificent success. Saturday night's meeting at Fortune beat all records. The building was gorged, and the Commissioner's address had a wonderful effect. Great enthusiasm was manifested among the Grand Bank people over the Sunday's meetings. The Holiness meeting on Sunday morning was a very powerful time, many were smitten by the power of Almighty God.

The Commissioner's address on South Africa, in the afternoon, took the people by storm. Dr. MacDonald

presided, and was supported by a number of Grand Bank leading men, Rev. C. Lynch proposed a vote of thanks, which was ably seconded by Mr. S. Harris, one of Grand Bank's foremost men. Both gentlemen spoke very kindly of the good work being done by The Army.

At night the building was packed to the doors, the Commissioner's address was another masterpiece. The vast audience was greatly moved.

At Garnish on Monday night the Commissioner spoke to a crowded Hall. The Campaign is going fine; twenty-six surrenders for the weekend. Off to Burin for Tuesday,

IN BONAVISTA DISTRICT

August 23.

The Commissioner's tour in Newfoundland continues to be one of triumph. His visit to the Bonavista District was a grand success. Indeed, at Catalina Friday night, the Hall was packed. The Commissioner's address was listened to with the keenest interest and there were fifteen surrenders. The afternoon's meeting was presided over by Dr. Forbes, who welcomed the Commissioner on behalf of the people of the town. The Commissioner excelled himself, and the people were highly pleased with his address. The total surrenders for the district number thirty-five. Brigadier Abby's singing was done on tremendous.

—BRIGADIER MOREHEN.

The Toronto Congress**NOTES AND COMMENTS**

The Toronto Fall Councils will be held from October 13th to 20th, inclusive, and will be attended by the Provincial Commandants of the Canadian East Territory and the Officers of Ontario and Quebec Provinces. These Councils will in many respects be a unique series of meetings.

The first gathering will be a welcome banquet in the lower Mess Hall when all generalities will be removed and relaxation fully indulged in. This will be the first Council since the dear General was here. What tragic events have happened since then; but Hallelujah! we have also had plenty of happenings to rejoice over.

Following the banquet will be a welcome Council in the Temple. This will be the Commissioner's first Council at the hub of The Salvation Army in the Dominion. Judging from the remarks made and feelings expressed, the will meet with reception that will make him feel decidedly good.

At the evening session of the Thursday's Councils, the Toronto Local Officers will be present. From such a long and successful campaign as the Commissioner, we may expect Council addresses that

will be top-notchers of interest, inspiration, and practical bearing on a Salvation Army Officers' line and work.

On Saturday afternoon a remarkably interesting ceremony will take place—that of unveiling the monument to the memory of our glorified dead, who were promoted to Glory in connection with the Empress disaster. This will be an impressive ceremony, and will be conducted in a way that will best honour their memory.

On Saturday night was originally planned a great musical festival, but so many of the Toronto Bandsmen have enlisted in the Overseas Forces that the principal Bands are for the present demobilized. Still, personally, we are hoping that the deficiency may be so far made good that the festival may still be held. Perhaps it may be arranged that our Bandsmen in kit may be seen in their own dear old Bands. We shall keep believing. At any rate, there will be a great parade on Saturday night of such.

On Sunday morning the Commissioner and Mrs. Richards, with the Headquarters Staff, will conduct the Holiness meeting at the Temple.

Colonel Hammond, of International Headquarters, will conduct the services at the Toronto

other leading Officers and Exponents, and conduct special meetings at the Corps.

On Sunday afternoon a very solemn and impressive Memorial Service will be held in the Masonic Hall. Of course, the Expressmaster will be the principal feature and the Chief Secretary assures us that the pictures descriptive of that catastrophe will be of sufficient interest, and that the service will be of a most inspiring character. On Sunday night there will be a great Salvation meeting held in the Masonic Hall.

On Monday night in the Masonic Hall will be held a Young People's Demonstration. The Boy Scouts, the Girl Guides, and other Young People's organizations will drill, display manual movements, and put up a service, which, for animation and vim, will be hard to beat.

On Tuesday night, in the Masonic Hall will take place two events:—(1) A Social Demonstration; (2) A Fifteenth Jubilee Demonstration. Concerning these we hope to give interesting particulars next week. In the meantime all comrades pray and believe for one of the most precious outpourings of blessing from God, as God has granted to an Army Corps.

—A. T. COOPER.

for the Fall Conference at two weeks.

of the Winnipeg gathering October 20th to 28th, and for Vancouver from Oct. 20th to 28th. We are expecting great numbers of visitors, and hope to pass out to our friends at later date. Meanwhile Officers, Soldiers, and Sailors possibly absent from their territory are hereby invited to attend either the Congress.

Commissioner, accompanied by staff, spent last night in the city Corps, and on Saturday night our latest offering will be held at the Pentecostal Church.

On Saturday night the presentation of the Officers and

Commissioner's Tea and meetings by the Bandmen's Corps, No. II, was conducted in the hall.

The meetings were full of much enjoyed by all.

Local Officers are

invited with a good deal of the Commissioner's tea, to be held at

McLean said: "Good

on the 24th inst. welcomed by Council

at Vancouver on

Mrs. McLean will be

a little later.

last week, the Com-

missioner and

Secretary have had

of the Kildonan Home

Cafeteria alterations

of the grounds and

the women have been

Captain Sims was

conducted a unique

C.P.R. railway stan-

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the front. (See Page

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especially requested.

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his recent illness;

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the Ensign.

Consecrated.

To the laying of good foun-

dations.

The Commissioner outlined his

plan for the coming Congress, and

asked for the co-operation of each

Band in this event.

He thought this

a good opportunity to introduce

Ensign Pugmire to the Bands-

men.

The Ensign was keen in musical

matters, and he (the Commissioner)

had a few words with the Band

Leaders, as also did Lieut.-Colonel

Turner, both of whom were listened

to with much interest.

**COMMR. & MRS. SOWTON
Visit Three Winnipeg City Corps**

Congress Conducted
BY

Major Catherine Booth

THIRTY GATHERINGS IN SIX
DAYS—OVER 150 SEEKERS

Interesting Meeting in Petrograd

SUNDAY, Aug. 22nd. A very busy day for Commissioners and Mrs. Sowton. Three of the Winnipeg Corps being visited during the day—Winnipeg III, in the morning, Winnipeg II, in the afternoon, and the "Baby" Corps, No. VI (Weston), at night. The Commissioner was received by the band, and the address of Commissioner and Mrs. Sowton was very much enjoyed. The No. II. Band, under the leadership of Bandmaster Rudd, rendered excellent service.

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GOD NEEDS YOUR SERVICE—NOW The Devil and his Agents use Horrible Devil to Lure People to Hell—Save Them

FISHES ALL CAUGHT

Showers Did Not Spoil the Day's Meetings.

Saturday, Aug. 4th, was the date fixed for the North Toronto Corps' Garden Party, and although we have had so much rain, God honoured our faith by giving us fine weather. Our Band, who had the merriment in their hands, and right from kneecap to the finish, God's presence was felt. Ensign and Mrs. Jones, who are on a visit to their home here, took part, and the Band Secretary saluted "Tell Mother I'll Be There."

Secretary Clark brought tears to many eyes as he told of the spirit which he saved so long before she died, and how she begged him to yield himself to God and to meet her in Heaven. One day a message came to him: "Your mother is dying; come at once." Immediately he jumped on his wheel and almost flew there, but alas! too late! She had just passed away. From that day we have increased in strength and numbers, and now we can sing "Tell mother I'll be there, in answer to her prayer."

In the prayer meeting Bandsman Trickey led a man out to the Penitent Form, and soon after a Junior of eleven followed.—Chair Canning.

A SHINING LIGHT

Pacific Coast Officers Say Farewell

On Wednesday, Aug. 4th, Vancouver II, bade good-bye to its Officers, Adjutant Meikle and Lieutenant Brown, after eighteen months of faithful service. We had a real spiritual Soldiers' meeting, with a good attendance, and at the close a surprise ice cream and cake social.

Our Officers have been a great blessing while in our midst, and souls have been saved. In the case in particular is that of my friend, a man who has been a drunkard for twenty-two years got blessedly saved during their stay here, and is to-day a bright and shining light and a wonderful soul-winner for Jesus. The prayers and good wishes of the Soldiers go with the Officers to their new appointment.—A Soldier.

FAREWELL AND WELCOME

We at Saskatoon have said farewell to Adjutant Andrew, who was with us sixteen months and is now on furlough, and have welcomed into our midst Adjutant and Mrs. Johnstone from Prince Albert, who are greatly interested in the Young Men's Christian Association. On July 2nd, and his talk was encouraging both to children and Workers. The Junior meetings are going ahead under the leadership of Sergeant-Major Horne, seventy-one being in attendance July 10th.

Lieutenant-Colonel Turner was with us Aug. 1st, and spoke to us on the word, "Watch," which was very interesting. Come again, Colonel!

HIS MOTHER'S PRAYER

Visitors and Bandmen Lead the Meetings.

The comrades of Saskatoon, both old and young, are ready ever to speak and work for the salvation of others. All day Sunday, Aug. 12th, the Band had the merriment in their hands, and right from kneecap to the finish, God's presence was felt. Ensign and Mrs. Jones, who are on a visit to their home here, took part, and the Band Secretary saluted "Tell Mother I'll Be There."

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CHEERFUL GIVERS

NEW QUARTERS

Thirteen Surrenders and Eight Enrolled.

We are enjoying the Spirit of God in our meetings at Gananoque, and during the last few weeks have had thirteen surrenders, while eight new comrades have been enrolled. Several visitors also have specialities at the Corps, including three Methodist Ministers. We shall be moving to our new Hall shortly, and Captain Walter and Lieutenant Giddings have already moved to new Quarters.

The Captain and Lieutenant have worked hard to recruit and therefore the Soldiers and Civilians are showing their appreciation having a "furnishing shower." We hope, by means of this, to get enough furniture to furnish the new Quarters. Captain Walter is now on furlough, and the Lieutenant is also going West for his furlough in a short time. We have also a Band and when we go to the new Hall we will have nineteen to twenty-one on the march, which shows up wonderfully well, when we consider that the Captain and Lieutenant arrived here we used only to get two to the open-air. Attendances and finances are good.—A. W. (Treas.)

SINNER RETURNS

Staff-Captain Byers Had Good Meetings.

We are having some real good times in Windsor, N.S. Staff-Captain Byers was with us for the weekend, Aug. 12th-13th, and from the knee-drip Sunday morning until we closed at 10 p.m., God's Spirit was felt, and souls were blessed. We all enjoyed the Staff-Captain's Band, and the band itself will not be lost when he shall be with us again. At the end of the day's fight we had the joy of seeing sinners at the Cross crying to God for pardon.

The meetings are being lead by Lieutenant Bramley, assisted by Sister Richardson, of Lunenburg, N.S. On Thursday, Aug. 12th, the Lieutenant spoke on "I am ye My disciple indeed" and one man who had wandered from God and His Word, returned and took up His cross again—"Out in the Fight."

WELCOMED

Captain and Mrs. Carruthers have farewelled from New Westminster Corps, after a stay of fourteen months. God has blessed their efforts in our midst, and their faces will be missed. Their farewell services were well attended, and all joined in the singing of "God be with you till we meet again."—Out in the Fight.

CHANGED OVER

A Comrade of Eighty Surrenders

The meetings all day Sunday, Aug. 13th, at Summerside were full of blessing, being led by Ensign Hardy of Alberton, assisted by Brothers Hardy, Oliver and Irving Ramsay. Lieutenant Thomason went to Alberton for the week-end in exchange. We were glad also to welcome Captain McDonald, who was at one time director of this Corps, and who had been a constant factor in the meeting Aug. 8th.

On Sunday, Aug. 13th, we had the joy of seeing an old man about eighty years of age come forward in the Penitent Form, and he now tells of God's saving grace. Our finance were good.—One

INTERESTING TALK

Captain Delamont, who has been supplying at Yorkton for the last few weeks, gave her experiences of the life of the Princess of Ireland in the Melville Club, recently, and there was a good attendance. God is helping us, and souls are being won. There is a beautiful spirit of unity and love and the real fighting spirit is exhibited in all the comrades.—Worker,

UNITED MEETINGS

Cameron and Ensign served in Pictou County, N.S.

Bridadier Cameron and Ensign have just closed a successful campaign in Pictou County, N.S. They visited all the Communities of Westville, Stellar, and New Glasgow. United meetings were held at each place, and souls reconciled them-selves for active service in the interests of the Kingdom.

The week-end was spent at New Glasgow. The Bridadier and Ensign blessed our souls with their singing, talk, and enthusiastic exhortation. At the Holiness meeting four fifteen surrendered.

Monday evening's meeting was the last. Again the Officer and those present, being Captain Gove and Lieutenant Hamilton of Pictou, Captain Hardy and Lieutenant Harris from Westville, and Captain and Mrs. Johnston of Stellar. A special feature at this service was the dedication of the infant son of Captain and Mrs. Johnston.

Good spiritual meetings all day Sunday, Aug. 13th, Captain Henderson, and during the great heat (97 in the shade) we had a good attendance with us. Lieutenant Watson, of Toronto, joined his wife, also Captain Lammon of Yarmouth, Submaster R. Tyrer of Bideford, and bounded the Scripture in the meeting. Bandmaster, and Tyrer farrowed in the same hall, all being pleased to hear them play. The band was in full force for the special campaign, and we confident that the Corps, and the men of Pictou County are encouraged.—J. W. Beecroft.

MEMBERS PARADED

The Young People's Work Is In Excellent Condition.

Bridadier Frank Morris visited Saturday, Sunday, and Monday, Aug. 21st and 22nd. We tell us that he thoroughly enjoyed himself, and the splendid welcome given to him on Saturday night until the early hours of Sunday morning. Nine souls came to the Meeting. The week-end was made especially interesting by the fact that the recruits of the 50th Regiment, headed by their own band, marched in the Citadel Sunday morning, and were addressed by the Secretary for War Affairs.

On Sunday afternoon meeting at the Citadel, the Bridadier visited the new building recently erected for the Young People's Work in out-of-the-way districts, and found each contained a number of classes studying the lesson, as well as a large number of children at the Citadel. In addition to the three branches of the Young People's Work referred to, Captain MacLennan had another class at the camp, which numbered as many as sixty. In the Bridgeman's opinion this certainly shows great enterprise.

DESPERATE ASSAULTS

The Enemy's Resistance Weakened

We are still actively engaging the enemy, Renfrew, in spite of many difficulties, and barbed-wire entanglements in the shape of indifference of the people, oppressive and vacuous government. We have met our base, and are now in a position to come to hand with the enemy force; having the old, hattered fort (Hall) now firmly entrenched in Beaconsfield Hall.

Our converts are doing well, and are consecrating their lives to the service of the Allies (God and Country). We recently had another conversion at our Holiness meeting. Attitudes are excellent. The

troops are being led on by Ponfou and Lieutenant Corps Correspondent.

THE WAR CRY

A HARD WORKER
Captain Levied the Citadel Garden
With Five Surrenders.

ON MOUNTAINSIDE
Major Hay Leads Stirring Meetings
With Five Surrenders.

MAJOR CATHERINE BOOTH

(Continued from Page 9.)
the call to Officership. He got the victory during the Congress, and wife at an early date.

An item which did much to tone one meeting was the singing of some Russian children who are under the Army's care, and whose fathers are on active service.

Brigade of Shoeblocks

At Helsingfors the Brigade of Shoeblocks—lads who have been handed over to the Salvation Army, by the city police authorities, attended several of the meetings en masse.

Perhaps one of the most interesting items of news passed on by Colonel Kitching is that concerning a meeting held in Petrograd to which he accompanied Major Booth.

The meeting was held in a "hall" composed of four rooms which open into each other. The largest was a little over twenty feet by fifteen feet. The hall was insufferable, for thirty people were present, among the number being a woman, a countess, and a Russian nurse.

Two oil lamps were in full flame and the windows were closed, by order of the police. The audience given by the authorities lessened the meeting must attract attention. As it was, instructions were passed on by the police that the audience was to sing more softly.

Decorating the walls of this strange hall were pictures of the old new Generals, an engraving of St. Michael, Archangel of Russia, and a picture of "the day of Russia" drawn by the sellers of "The Salvation Messenger," as registered with the police.

A deep vein of religious fervor was apparent in the meeting. Russians take their religion like most other things—seriously. The singing of "A Man Crosses" was wonderful in intensity and power, while the rendering of "Let me Love Thee Saviour" was alive with a deep spirit of pleading.

Typewritten Song Books

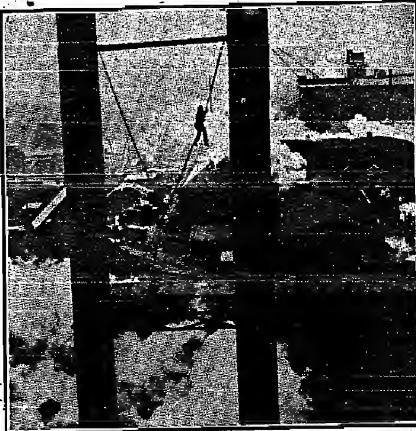
So far no Song Books have been published in the Russian language, and the splendid Officers, whose devotion to duty and to others cannot be exaggerated, had some thirty songs translated and typed, and have made excellent copy of brown paper, so that there are "Song Books" for all who attend the meetings—meetings which must rank amongst the most wonderful in the world.

One other incident in conclusion. The Colonel was travelling in a train at Dalmatia. His uniform made him the centre of attraction, and people were endeavouring to understand the words on his baton. Presently, to the Colonel's surprise, a gentleman leaned over to him and said, "Hello, Salvation Army. You down en route to see you here." The Colonel later discovered that the gentleman was a member of the Russian Duma; he comes to England frequently, and often attends The Salvation Army meetings. He spoke with knowledge of several London and Provincial Corps.

ENROLLMENT

Bridgeman and Mrs. Phillips, with Captain E. Spokes, led on at Hastings Street (Toronto) Corps on Tuesday evening, Aug. 24th. The enrollment service of eight Senior and six Junior Soldiers took place, and the meeting closed with five at the Mercy Seat.

DANGEROUS JOBS



Steeplejack Sliding Down a Rope

A TOILER whose safety depends at every turn on the qualities of alertness and agility is the steeplejack, seen at work in the accompanying photographs. The one shows a steeplejack sliding down a rope stretched diagonally between two iron smokestacks on a powerhouse in New York; while the other picture shows another member of this hazardous crew painting the ball at the summit of a flagpole on the top of a tall building, at an enormous height from the ground.

The work is such as makes demands on both nerve and muscle and, in addition, on that curious gift which many of the bravest do not possess, and which is summed up, in common parlance, as "a head for heights." Doubtless this is a faculty that, to some extent, can be cultivated, but it is not entirely so. As the people the gift is inherent, as was the case with Lord Clive, who, as a boy, gave the first public proof of his dauntless courage that was afterwards to win the Indian Empire by climbing up a pine tree to the top of the tall church steeple in his native town of Market Drayton, in response to the calling of one of his schoolfellows.

On the other hand, it has been observed that professional steeplejacks, who for fifteen or twenty years have been accustomed to perform vertiginous feats at heights which would make ordinary men dizzy, suddenly "find their nerves," and have to abandon the more dangerous tasks for a season.

Usually their nerve returns to them again; but once the spell is broken and the superb confidence of their earlier years is destroyed, they can never be quite the same as before. If, therefore, there is always the danger that their nerve will fail again just in one of those emergencies in which nerve is ninth-tenth of the battle.

The readiness and courage displayed by these steeplejacks is often beyond praise. Let me record just one instance. Two men were working on a scaffolding of a church steeple, and at one moment it became necessary for one of them to stand

on its girder, it does away with all necessity for resting upon any temporary scaffolding built high below. The cantilever arms are built up on both sides of each pier, the work being carefully regulated so that symmetry and balance are always maintained. As soon as the girder for the lower arm of the cantilever are built out from the base, a movable platform, bearing the cranes for lifting the girders and plates into position, and also the hydraulic riveters, is hung round it, so the work is completed by a process of continual extension.

However, this method, though probably less dangerous than the older, leaves considerable room for accidents to the workers before each plate, in turn, has been lifted into place and riveted securely to its predecessor by the pressure of the hydraulic riveter.—*Wide World*.

USEFUL HINTS

The motto of an Italian housekeeper, when cooking, seems to be: "A little of many things, and not too much of anything, with eternal vigilance."

Tin foil is not a suitable thing for dressing leather. It will cause leather to become dry and crack. If you wish to preserve leather, rub in occasionally a little good tinned oil. One teaspoonful of ammonia to a teacup of water, applied with a cloth, will clean silver perfectly.

A small quantity of sassafras bark placed among any kind of dried fruit will keep it free from worms.

The whites of eggs will whip more readily if a pinch of salt is added to them. If the eggs are placed in cold water for a time before being broken they will whip easily.

Never wring linens with a clothes wringer, as it makes wrinkles hard to iron out.

on the other's shoulders in order to reach a part of the work.

Suddenly the pot of molten lead he was carrying was tipped over by some projection, and a quantity of the boiling metal dropped on the shoulders of the man below. The pain was as excruciating as it was unexpected, and it quite well deserved the following day.

A great crowd attended the funeral service in our Hall on Sunday afternoon last, and also the service at the graveyard which was conducted by the Officers. The night before the funeral service was held, many tributes were paid to the life and character of our departed comrade. One soul sought Salvation, while many others were deeply impressed.—P. Forbes, Captain.

Sister J. Sensabaugh, Duvalle.

On Thursday, Aug. 19th, Sister Mrs. J. Sensabaugh was called to her reward after a long life of self-sacrifice. During the long period of her illness, one of the things that brought so much comfort to our comrade was the visits of the Corps Officers, whose prayers and singing were curiously sought.

Although our sister sank weaker and weaker, yet her faith in God seemed to grow stronger, just before crossing the river she told us present that she was quite ready to meet her blessed Jesus, and in the presence of her loved ones requested that her body should be given an Army funeral.

This request was carried out on Saturday afternoon, Aug. 21st when a very impressive funeral service, conducted by Captain Morgan and Lieutenant Harrison was held. Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the sorrowing relatives of our departed comrade.

PITH AND POINT.

Blessings are easy things to forget. He holds men who hold the tongue.

In this world Truth can wait; she is used to lie.

It's your dead chicks that take the longest hatching.

That which God calls us to is always a noble calling.

You can insulate a wire, but you cannot insulate a man.

If you would love mankind, don't expect too much from them.

God would not permit evil if he had not some greater good to bring out of it.

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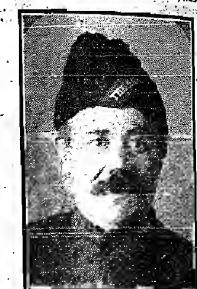
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Painting Top of Flagpole

PROMOTED TO GIRL

Brother E. Miller, Newcastle, N. H.

A general feeling of sorrow fell on our town by the sudden death of our comrade, Brother Ernest Miller, who, previous to his conversion, was



A Wounded Turk Receives a Drink of Water

This Turkish infantryman was wounded in the right arm in one of the recent Turkish attacks. He is here seen taking a drink of water from Tommy's little metal drinking cup.

A RECORD HARVEST

THREE are no fears of a bread famine in the near future on the American continent, for the United States, one of nine hundred and sixty-six million bushels, the greatest wheat crop ever grown in any one country, in Western Canada is practically ruined by a wheat crop of two hundred and fifty million bushels, which totals approximately one hundred and twenty-five million bushels of wheat for export. There is confidence, however, as to where the market will be for the vast surplus. It is considered possible that Britain may take it for the Allies.

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It is their hindish treatment of the Armenians that is the chief cause of the determination of the Allies to turn the Turks out of Europe, there is no doubt; and according to newspaper reports, this is realized by the doomed Turkish nation, who, it is said, has planned to exterminate the whole Armenian nation, for it is said from a reliable source that thousands have been deported in a body from all towns along the route to the desert regions south of Aleppo. Refugees will have to traverse on foot a distance requiring marches of from two to even more months. The roads and Euphrates river are strewn with corpses of refugees, and those who survive are destined to certain death, since they will find neither house, work, nor food in the desert.

A SUCCESSFUL RUSE OF WAR

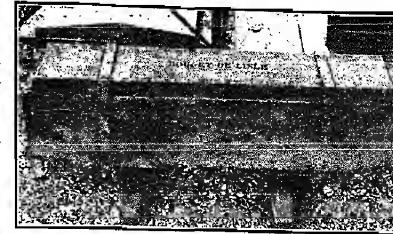
CLAUDE JOSEPH ROUGET DE LISLE, who was born in 1750, did not win many of the good things of life, and the tomb shown on this page indicates that even in death he was not too much honoured.

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NEWS NOTES and COMMENTS



The Sarcophagus Containing the Remains of Rouget de Lisle



The Uniform Worn by the Edinburgh Tram Women

of fuss and show to invade Asia Minor, and the Turks feverishly hurriedly and at great expense to repel the invaders. When this was done, from half a dozen losses, one night, rub in the allied forces converged on the enemies' main line in Gallipoli and won a substantial victory, which makes the fall of Constantinople inevitable.

A BRILLIANT GENERAL

SIR IAN HAMILTON, who is the Commander-in-Chief of the Allied Armies at the Dardanelles, has married a Scotch girl, careered as an English officer now serving in the British service. He is sixty-two years of age, and was born on the island of Corfu, at a time when his father, also a general, was fighting in the Crimean War.

He entered the army at the age of twenty, and has been soldiering ever since, and has distinguished himself. Sir Ian Hamilton is, may be judged from the fact that in 1884, when he was serving in Burma, the British Government offered him high appointment in India at fifteen thousand dollars a year. About the same time he received an offer as an instructor at Hythe at four thousand dollars. He accepted the latter place because he was told that there he could pursue his patriotic hobby, which was musketry.

It might be remarked that Sir Ian Hamilton is also the author of a book of ballads, and is in every respect a very cultured gentleman.

SOCIALISTS AND WAR

GRIMAX Socialists are reported to be making efforts to bring about peace. According to an American Socialist writer, they did not do much to prevent war, notwithstanding the proud boast of the Socialist leaders that they could make war impossible.

"Innumerable leaflets," says our authority, "in countless pamphlets, in our party press, from street plat-

forms, we have laughed at the capitalists and political rulers of Europe; it has been our proudest boast that Socialism would make war impossible . . . and, with smug self-satisfaction, count 4,500,000 Socialists in Germany, 1,600,000 in Austria, 1,600,000 in France, and 500,000 in England. These 8,100,000 votes were to be cast against war; if they were counted out, then 8,100,000 men were to rise in revolt."

War came, and there was no revolt. No Socialists were willing for having the courage of his convictions. The greatest opportunity that the world has ever known for testing the theory of the general strike as a preventive measure against international conflict came and passed. The Socialists' conduct was not so brave as their words.

BENEVOLENT LEGISLATION

NEW YORK has just joined the American States who pension widowed mothers. This benevolent piece of legislation was first enacted in Missouri. Less than five years ago Judge E. E. Porterfield, of Kansas City, became troubled by the number of orphans children brought to the Missouri Court.

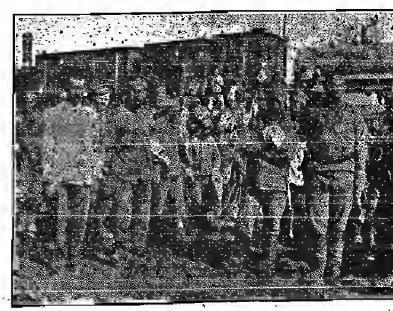
An investigation by Judge Porterfield found that these children came from homes of grimness and most sordid poverty. In most cases the young culprits were fatherless and deprived of the care of their mother because she was forced to go to work to secure their support. Judge Porterfield went before the Missouri Legislature and begged the State to aid these children. As a result, in June, 1917, Missouri adopted the first law for pensioning widowed mothers.

In about ten States this law is now operative, and Ohio leads the way in allowances. In that State a widowed mother with one child under the legal employment age is allowed fifteen dollars a month and seven dollars a month for others.

FINISHING THE STORY

A GRIM Christian writer has undertaken to tell the rest of the story of the Prodigal Son (says the "Christian Guardian").

He pictures the younger son going into the city and finding a boy was just starting for the conclusion on Page 15.)



After the Bath—A Scene in Front of the Russian Vapour Bath Train

